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IN RE PATENT APPLICATION of

Inventor : RICH  
Appln. No. : 10/678,692  
Conf. No.: : 9961  
Filed: : October 3, 2003  
Title: : INTEGRATED SAMPLE CELL AND FILTER AND SYSTEM  
USING SAME  
Group Art Unit : 2856  
Examiner : Frank, Rodney T.  
Docket No. : 02-20 RCE

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November 22, 2005

**AMENDMENT**

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
and Trademarks  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1504

Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY REMARKS**

In response to the Official Action dated August 24, 2005, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

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